

Amendment No. 1 to SB0574

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 574

House Bill No. 72*

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-1-311, is amended by designating the existing language as subsection (a) and adding the following language as a new subsection (b):

Beginning in 2017, upon initial completion of the standards review and adoption, the state board shall ensure that the standards review and development committees and advisory teams review the standards for English language arts, mathematics, science, and social studies pursuant to §§ 49-1-311 - 49-1-313 on an ongoing basis at least once every six (6) years from the last adoption and make recommendations for adoption of new standards in these subject areas to the state board, which shall vote on whether to adopt the recommended standards. It is the intent of the general assembly to make an annual appropriation to the board for the purposes of this section. Any unexpended funds appropriated for the purposes of this section shall not revert to the general fund, but shall be carried forward into the subsequent fiscal year to effectuate the purposes of this section.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.